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1. EMBOFF CALLED ON DR. ISTVAN HALASZ, CHIEF OF UN ECONOMIC AFFAIRS IN MFA, ON MAY 23 AND OUTLINED U.S. POSITION ON 7SS AS CONTAINED IN REFTEL A.

2. HALASZ SAID THAT THERE IS SOME CONFUSION AS TO GOALS OF GROUP OF 77 AT SS AND UNTIL LAST WEEK GOH HAD INTENDED TO SEND SKELETON CREW TO SEPT 1 OPENING. NOW THAT 77 WANTED TO HAVE THREE COMMITTEES MEET SIMULTANEOUS, GOH WOULD BE REPRESENTED BY LARGE DELEGATION (INCLUDING HIMSELF).

3. HALASZ STATED THAT GOH HAS SAME BASIC CONCERNS AS U.S. REGARDING TACTICS OF LDC'S AT PREVIOUS SESSIONS AND CONSIDERS FIVE POINTS PUT FORWARD BY 77 AS "HEADLINE GRABBING". SAID HE PERSONALLY PREFERRED U.S. LIST OF TOPICS, BUT WOULD

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HAVE TO DISCUSS MATTER WITH HIS SUPERIORS. HALASZ ADDED THAT GOH ANXIOUS TO HAVE TOPIC OF WORLD INFLATION

INCLUDED, AS THIS QUESTION OF MOST CONCERN TO HUNGARY.

4. IN REVIEW OF PROPOSALS OF 77, HALASZ SAID THAT GOH WOULD NOT GRANT ANY MORE TRADE CONCESSIONS TO LDC'S, DID NOT BELIEVE THAT INCREASING FOOD AID WOULD SOLVE WORLD AGRICULTURAL PROBLEM, AND WOULD NOT CONTRIBUTE TO ANY UN SPECIAL FUND. HE ALSO IMPLIED THAT GOH OPPOSED TO INDEXING OF COMMODITY PRICES.

5. HALASZ SAID THAT HE EXPECTED TO SEE MORE U.S.-HUNGARIAN COOPERATION AT TWO SPECIAL PREPARATORY MEETINGS IN GENEVA. HE CONCLUDED BY SAYING THAT GOH HAS BEEN TRYING TO CONVINCE LDC'S TO TAKE MORE CONSTRUCTIVE APPROACH TO RESOLVE DIFFERENCES IN UN; THAT CONSENSUS IS MUCH MORE IMPORTANT THAN CONFRONTATION.  
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